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REMARKS

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. 121 dated November 18, 2008, the Examiner has required an election of a single invention for prosecution on the merits. It is Applicants' understanding that this election is being made to aid the Examiner in conducting a thorough search and examination of the claimed subject matter, and is not to be construed as limiting the scope of Applicants' claims.

Applicants hereby elect claims 1-6 and 10-15 in Group 1 without prejudice.

Applicant reserves the right to pursue claims 7-9 and 16-18 of Group 2 in a divisional patent application.

The present application is now believed to be in condition for further examination on the merits. Favorable examination leading to early allowance of this application is earnestly solicited.

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